



B/A  
JLW  
F0604

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence (along with any paper referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being sent first class mail on the date shown below to Mail Stop Issue Fee, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Date: June 1, 2004

Rebecca A. Bellas  
Rebecca A. Bellas

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re patent application

Applicant: Singh, et al.

: Art Unit: 2814

Serial No.: 10/050,454

: Examiner: Hoa B. Trinh

Filed: January 16, 2002

Title: PROCEDURE TO DETERMINE SEED LAYER THICKNESS OF TRENCH  
SIDEWALLS

RULE 312 AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Issue Fee  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Notice of Allowance dated May 24, 2004. Entry of the amendments described herein is respectfully requested.